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April 29, 1981

Mr. Eric Newman
P.O. Box 14020
St. Louis, Missouri 63178

Dear Mr. Newman:

Enclosed are the promised items. My hope is to develop a significant collection of early colonial coins over a period of time. My instinct is to buy additional coins rather than engage in any swapping. On the other hand the cost, as you know, can be quite high.

Hopefully we will have a chance to chat further on this subject and meet each other as well. I am so happy that I asked Linda to tell me a little more about her family. It has already lead to an increase in my knowledge of this specialized form of collecting. Again thanks for your time and consideration.

With best regards, I remain,

Sincerely yours,

John

John Winthrop

JW:ss
Enclosures

MASSACHUSETTS 55
PINE TREE SHILLING
1652.
LARGE PLANCHET

NOE 1.
CROSBY 12-1.
4.61gr.

EXTR. FINE 500.00

MASSACHUSETTS 54
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MASSACHUSETTS 57
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NOE 2.
CROSBY 4-F.
4.7gr. EXTR. FINE
500.00

MASSACHUSETTS 56
PINE TREE SHILLING
1652.
LARGE PLANCHET TYPE-

NOE 1.
CROSBY 12-1.
TERRIBLY CLIPPED,
ONLY FAIR 75.00
2.94gr.

MASSACHUSETTS 58
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NOE 5.
CROSBY 5-B.2
4.5gr. PRACTICALLY UNC. 600.00

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CROSBY 5-B2
4.87gr.
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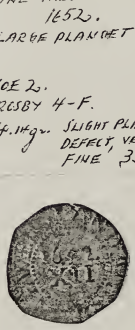

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SMALL PLANCHET.

NOE 30.
CROSBY 13 - S.
4.68 gr.
FINE 200.

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MASSACHUSETTS 69
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SMALL PLANCHET

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CROSBY 13 - S.
4.59 gr.
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MASSACHUSETTS 70
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SMALL PLANCHET.

NOE 30.
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VERY GOOD
125.

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May 27, 1981

Mr. John Winthrop
John Winthrop & Co., Inc.
140 Broadway
New York, NY 10005

Dear John:

Both my wife and myself enjoyed to the fullest extent the charm of the childrens book you sent us. You seem to be a multi-faceted person, and when we finally do meet I am sure we will have many enjoyable items to discuss.

Thank you also for all the enclosures.

Sincerely,

Eric P. Newman

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Mr Newman —

Here is the proposal.
I'll call in a few days
to get your reaction.

Again thanks for your
guidance during this
continuing saga.

All the best,

John

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May 24, 1984

Mr. John Winthrop
John Winthrop & Co., Inc.
140 Broadway
New York, N.Y. 10005

Dear John:

Below please find a listing of those items I would trade in order to secure the NE Shilling we spoke of.

1- In group 9 (U.S. Gold) I would sell two or three 1907 St. Gaudens leaving of course the 3 best for your collection. Estimate value subject to examination would be $8,000 - 12,000.

2- Group 11 (Massachusetts Silver)
   a- Noe 1. $2,500 - 3,000.)
   b- Noe 2. $2,500 - 3,000.) ..... one or two examples
   c- Noe 5. $2,500 - 3,000.)
   d- Noe 30. $1,500 - 2,000.)

Please note that I have chosen only those Noe numbers which I can see at least one or more duplicates. As with the gold group the idea would be to keep the best and trade in those which would not affect the overall collection.

Our goal would be to use those items which are surplus and add a coin (NE) to further enhance the collection.

Using this approach of trading "surplus" coins we will be able in the future to add a Willow Tree and possibly an Oak Tree when the opportunity presents itself.

Trusting this is the information you desire, I remain

Very truly yours,
STACK'S

Lawrence R. Stack

LRS/sr

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June 28, 1984

Mr. Eric Newman
P.O. Box 14020
St. Louis, Mo. 63178

Dear Eric:

Enclosed is a copy of the material I was sent from Stack's along with Xerox copies of the photographs. I hope this is adequate. Soon I will be going to South Carolina to pick up the Pine Tree Shillings. I am also sending a copy of Stack's proposal. Unless I hear from you, I will be pushing ahead and try to consummate the trade by the end of the summer. Once again, thanks so very much for your help. It was wonderful seeing you and Evelyn with Peter and Linda. Hopefully we will be in touch soon again.

With best regards, I remain,

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June 26, 1984

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John Winthrop Company
140 Broadway - 49th Floor
New York, N.Y. 10005

Dear John:

As requested I'm forwarding to you a description of the N.E. Shilling we have been discussing.

> (1652) New England Shilling. Noe III-C. 71.3 grains. An excellent impression of both the obverse and reverse monograms, with virtually no weaknesses. A full round planchet with no evidence of clipping. We mention a small mark to the right of the NE monogram, which will serve to identify the piece in the future, but there are no other detractions of consequence. Even medium gray coloration. One of the most popular and important of all early American coins. Extremely Fine.

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